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Report Highlights:

This guide is intended to provide an overview of legally required health certificates. It also refers to private certification initiatives, which are mostly intended to guarantee quality. The guide is an update of the October 2004 version of the EU Certification Guide. Updated sections are in italics and concern the following products: pets for commercial movements, eggs, pedigree and zootechnical certificates, bovine embryos, colostrum and casings. Furthermore references to outdated certificates for bovine semen, dairy products, casings have been removed.

Includes PSD Changes: No Includes Trade Matrix: No Unscheduled Report Brussels USEU [BE2] Please be advised that this guide is meant in no way to be taken as exhaustive – neither as concerns breadth of products included nor number of certificates required per product per Member State. Certificates included pertain to harmonized EU requirements, but individual Member States may require certificates that are not covered here. This document is intended for use as a documentation tool and FAS does not assume any liability for its content.

Background

European Union (EU) legislation calls for many health and supervisory requirements that are meant to guarantee that imports meet the standards of production in Member States. Unfortunately for exporters, the EU's rules on certification for imports are complicated and are not always harmonized across Member States.

Certification of animals and animal products is harmonized across the EU, in a three-part process. First, the EU must recognize a country as eligible to export a particular animal or animal product. The EU recognizes the U.S. for all animal products. For several products, the EU has approved lists of establishments submitted by U.S. government agencies. Only products processed at these approved establishments may enter the EU. The agencies involved in listing are the Food Safety and Inspection Service (FSIS), the Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS), the Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS), and the Food and Drug Administration (FDA). Such establishments may be subject to EU inspections. All EU-approved establishment lists are available on the USEU website (http://www.useu.be/agri/estab.html). Finally, animal or public health certificates signed by U.S. officials must accompany all shipments to guarantee that EU requirements are met.

Unlike animal products, certification of plants and plant products is not harmonized in the EU. Phytosanitary certificates, issued by an APHIS inspector, are required to accompany fruit, vegetable, and nut shipments. APHIS issues phytosanitary certificates in accordance with the international regulations set down by the International Plant Protection Convention of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (www.ippc.int/IPP/En/default.htm). This standard-setting body coordinates cooperation between nations to control plant and plant product pests and to prevent their spread.

In addition to the legally required health certificates, a number of other certificates are used in international trade. These certificates serve mainly as quality guarantees. In the case of organics, it is legally required that shipments be accompanied by certification (to ensure that they meet EU organic standards), but such certificates are issued privately. For more information on authorized certifiers, see www.useu.be/agri/organic.html. Even though there is often no legal requirement for quality certificates, they may be necessary to operate in the market place because of the quality guarantee they offer to operators. For example, in 2001, several large European retailers started EUREPGAP, which harmonized third-party certification of fresh produce. Many retailers have begun requesting EUREPGAP certification for fresh fruit and vegetable suppliers (www.eurep.org).

Certification of processed foods is an even murkier area. Processed foods containing animal product may require certification, but no legislation specifies what percentage of dairy or egg must be present in order to make certification necessary. Products that contain any amount of red meat or poultry meat must be certified, however. Similarly, there are no harmonized certificates for canned products (like vegetables or soups). Member states may, however, require that certificates signed by U.S. officials accompany imports.

Regarding meat and dairy products imported in personal baggage, official veterinary documentation must accompany most products. See http://www.useu.be/agri/usda.html.

When certification of a particular product is not harmonized, such rules are controlled by the individual Member State. Hence, the different Member States likely have different certification requirements, and it is best to contact the FAS office in the Member State in question for the most up-to-date requirements. See http://www.useu.be/agri/FAS-in-EU-25.html for contact information.

Member States may also apply a waiver to harmonized EU certification requirements in case of commercial samples. In this case the FAS offices in the Member States can also provide the necessary information. Other exceptions concern shipments to free zones and sea vessels. Shipments to U.S. military facilities are also covered by specific rules (SOFA agreements).

Because the EU-25 has twenty official languages, the language that the certificate is written in is important. According to the general principles for veterinary certification (Council Directive 2002/99/EC), certificates must be in the official language or languages of the Member State of destination, as well as of those of the Member State where the border inspection occurs. (Certified translations may be used instead.) A Member State may, however, agree to accept certificates in an official Community language not its own.

The Guide

To clarify and simplify these varying (and often confusing) rules and conventions, we present this guide to certification for U.S. exports to the EU. It provides an overview of both legally required health certificates and voluntary certificates.

Certificates are grouped by product. Where possible, links are provided to the forms that U.S. agencies issue for health certification purposes. These forms are usually created in accordance with EU legislation, so we have also provided references to the relevant legislation. Please note that if there is no history of trade, U.S. government agencies may not have model certificates for all products.

Notes for using the Guide

If interested in reading the referenced EU legislation, look it up using EUR-Lex (http://europa.eu.int/eur-lex/en/index.html). Click on "Official Journal." Then, search by publication reference in the Official Journal by entering the year of the legislation, which is the first number listed under "OJ Reference" in the guide. For example, "93/197/EC" means "Commission Decision 197 of the year 1993." Next, choose OJ series "L." The OJ number is the number following the "L" in the guide. In some cases, there are two numbers after the "L" – for example, L89/35. "35" denotes the page number.

U.S. Competent Authorities

The U.S. issuing agencies are identified by their acronyms. Following is a list of these and the relevant websites of each agency for further information.

- AMS: Agricultural Marketing Service, USDA

European Union Health Certification Program http://www.ams.usda.gov/dairy/eu_prgm.htm

- APHIS: Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, USDA

International Animal Export Regulations http://www.aphis.usda.gov/vs/ncie/iregs/animals/ee.html

International Animal Product Export Regulations http://www.aphis.usda.gov/vs/ncie/iregs/products/pr_ee.html

Export Services

http://www.aphis.usda.gov/ppq/pim/exports/

- FDA: Food and Drug Administration

http://www.fda.gov/cber/gdlns/exprtcert.htm#iv

- FGIS: Federal Grain Inspection Service; Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards

Administration, USDA

http://www.usda.gov/gipsa/international/intl-services.htm

- FSIS: Food Safety and Inspection Service, USDA

Export Requirements for the European Union:

http://www.fsis.usda.gov/OFO/export/euroregs.htm

- NOAA: National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

http://www.nmfs.noaa.gov/trade/EUCONTENTS.htm

Visit our website: our website www.useu.be/agri/usda.html provides a broad range of useful information on EU import rules and food laws and allows easy access to USEU reports, trade information and other practical information. More information on certification can be found at http://www.useu.be/agri/usda.html. E-mail: AgUSEUBrussels@usda.gov

Related reports from USEU Brussels:

Report Number	Title	Date Released
E34015	General Requirements for Veterinary Certificates	05/27/2004
E34005	Certification for Personal Meat and Dairy Imports	05/04/2004
E23187	EUREPGAP Update	10/13/2003

These reports can be accessed through our website www.useu.be/agri or through the FAS website http://www.fas.usda.gov/scriptsw/attacherep/default.asp.

Product	Official Journal Reference	Model from the Official Journal	U.S. Issuing Agency	U.S. Agency Form	Title	Comments
LIVE ANIMALS						
Horses (permanent admission)	93/197/EC, L86	eq perm (Annex II, C)	APHIS		Health Certificate for imports into Community territory of registered horses from Hong Kong and Japan, Republic of Korea, Macau, Malaysia (peninsular), Singapore and Thailand; and of registered equidae and equidae for breeding and production from Canada and the United States of America.	
Horses (temporary admission)	92/260/EC, L130	eq temp (Annex II, C)	APHIS		Health Certificate for temporary admission of registered horses into Community territory from the United States of America for a period of less than 90 days	
` ,	93/195/EC, L86	eq reentry (Annex II)			Health Certificate for the re-entry of registered horses for racing, competition, and cultural events into Community territory after temporary export for a period of less than 30 days to various other countries	
	93/195/EEC, L86	eq reentry graded (Annex VIII)			Health Certificate for re-entry of registered horses that have taken part in international Group/Grade meetings in Australia, Canada, the United States of America, Hong Kong, Japan, Singapore or the United Arab Emirates after temporary export for less than 90 days	
	93/196/EC, L86	Annex I			Health certificate for imports of equidae for slaughter sent directly to a slaughterhouse within the European Community	

		Annex II			Health certificate for imports of equidae for slaughter passing through a market or marshalling center within the European Community	
Birds (ornamental, other than poultry)		<u>Model</u>	APHIS	<u>or</u>	Specimen Animal Health Certificate for birds other than poultry intended for dispatch to the European Community	
Poultry (breeding, non-ratite)	96/482/EC, L196	<u>Model A</u>	APHIS	<u>ch_br</u>	Animal Health Certificate for breeding or productive poultry other than ratites intended for consignment to the European Community	
Poultry (day-old chicks, non-ratite)	96/482/EC, L196	<u>Model C</u>	APHIS	<u>ch_do</u>	Animal Health Certificate for day-old chicks other than ratites intended for consignment to the European Community	
Poultry (slaughter, non-ratite)		<u>Model D</u>	APHIS	<u>ch_sl</u>	Animal Health Certificate for slaughter poultry and poultry for restocking game supplies, other than ratites, intended for consignment to the European Community	
Ratites (breeding or productive)	2001/751/EC, L281/29	Annex II, Model A		_	Animal Health Certificate for breeding or productive ratites originating from countries free from avian influenza and Newcastle disease intended for consignment to the European Community	
Ratites (day-old chicks)	2001/751/EC, L281/41	<u>Annex II,</u> <u>Model E</u>		_	Animal Health Certificate for day-old chicks of ratites originating from countries free from avian influenza and Newcastle disease intended for consignment to the European Community	
Ratites (slaughter)	2001/751/EC, L281/47	Annex II, Model G		_	Animal Health Certificate for slaughter ratites originating from countries free from avian influenza and Newcastle disease intended for consignment to the European Community	

Molluscs	2003/804/EC, L302/27	Annex II	APHIS/ NOAA	Animal Health Certificate for the importation into the European Community of (live molluscs, eggs, and gametes for futher growth, fattening or relaying) (live molluscs for human consumption)
Live bivalve molluscs, echinoderms, tunicates and marine gastropods	96/333/EC, L127/35-37	Annex I	FDA/ NOAA	Health Certificate pertaining to live (bivalve molluscs) (echinoderms) (tunicates) (marine gastropods) intended for direct human consumption in the European Community Valid until 31/12/2005.
		Annex II	FDA/ NOAA	Health Certificate pertaining to (bivalve molluscs) (echinoderms) (tunicates) (marine gastropods) live intended for (purification) (re-laying) (processing) in the European Community Valid until 31/12/2005.
Fish	2003/858/EC, L324/43	Annex II	APHIS/ NOAA	Animal Health Certificate for the importation of (live fish, eggs and gametes for farming) (live fish of aquaculture origin for the purpose of (human consumption) (restocking of put and take fisheries)) into the European Community
Queen bees	2003/881/EC, L328/28	Annex I		Specimen Health Certificate for queen bees and queen bumble bees and their attendants, intended for consignment to the European Community
Bumble bees	2003/881/EC, L328/30	<u>Annex II</u>		Specimen Health Certificate for bumble bees bred under environmentally controlled conditions within recognized establishments and intended for consignment to the European Community

- 1	Pet dogs, cats, and ferrets	2004/203/EC, L65/17 2004/595/EC L266/11	ferret dog cat		dog_cat_ferret dog cat ferret	Veterinary Certificate for domestic dogs, cats and ferrets entering the European Community for non-commercial movements (Reg. No 998/2003) Veterinary Certificate for domestic dogs, cats and ferrets entering the European Community for commercial movements	Applies from 3 July 2004. However, per 2004/301/EC (and 2004/539/EC), Member States may accept certificates of a different format than the models established by 2004/203/EC if issued before 1 October 2004. Aims to ensure conformity of the rules applicable to trade and non-commercial movements
=	MEAT						
	Beef and Bison			FSIS	9060-5	Export Certificate of Wholesomeness	For fresh/frozen beef, pork, beef offal, and pork offal, in the Remarks section, type: "The Meat is derived from animals which have been treated in the slaughterhouse before and at the time of slaughter or killing in accordance with the relevant provisions of Council Directive 93/119/EEC".
						Certificate of Authenticity for high quality	This certificate is needed for a reduced tariff when a product enters the EU
				FSIS	9180-3	beef or veal	Beef quota.

Pork	2004/620/EC, L279	<u>BOV</u>	FSIS FSIS	FSIS Letterhead Certificate (Model BOV) 9060-5	1 3	For completion, see the Guidelines.
	2004/212/EC, L73	<u>POR</u>	FSIS FSIS	FSIS Letterhead Certificate (Model POR) 9060-10	Veterinary Certificate for fresh meat of domestic swine consigned to the European	2004/620/EC (L279) amends section 5.2 For completion, see the Guidelines.
	2004/212/EC, L73	EQU	FSIS	FSIS Letterhead Certificate (Model EOU) FSIS Form 9180- 17	Veterinary Certificate for fresh meat of domestic solipeds, consigned to the European Community	2004/620/EC (L279) amends section 5.2 For completion, see the Guidelines. French/English version Order via the Field Service Center (FSC).
	2004/620/EC, L279	<u>OVI</u>		_	Veterinary Certificate for fresh meat of domestic sheep and goats consigned to the European Community	
Fresh meat of farmed non-		Transit/ Storage SUF			Community Veterinary Certificate for fresh meat of farmed non-domestic suidae, consigned to	This certificate applies from 1 January 2005. 2004/620/EC (L279) amends section 5.2
Fresh meat of wild boar			FSIS	9060-5	Export Certificate of Wholesomeness	

	2004/212/EC, L73	SUW	FSIS	FSIS Letterhead Certificate (Model SUW)	Veterinary Certificate for fresh meat of	2004/620/EC (L279) amends section 5.2 For completion, see the Guidelines.
Fresh meat of farmed non- domestic animals other than equidae and suidae	2004/882/EC, L373	RUF		_	equidae and salade consigned to the	Certificate update to include TSE rules for cervids
Fresh meat of wild non-domestic animals other than equidae and suidae	2004/882/EC,	<u>RUW</u>		_	equidae and suidae consigned to the	Certificate update to include TSE rules for cervids
	94/984/EC, L378		FSIS FSIS	9060-5 9180-6	Export Certificate of Wholesomeness Animal Health Certificate for Fresh Poultry Meat for Human Consumption	. FSIS is not signing certificates for the EU as
		_	FSIS	9180-8	Public Health Certificate for Fresh Poultry Meat	
		<u>C, Transit/</u> <u>Storage</u>				This certificate applies from 1 January 2005.
Fresh meat of ratites			FSIS	9060-5		Also, FSIS letterhead certification must be obtained from the TSC.
	2000/609/EC, L258	Annex II		_	Animal and Public Health Certificate for fresh meat from farmed ratites for human consumption	
EU transit/storage of fresh ratite meat		Transit/ Storage, Annex III				This certificate applies from 1 January 2005.

Farmed rabbit	2000/585/EC, L251/29	Annex III, Model H			Animal and Public Health Certificate for rabbit meat intended for consignment to the European Community	
Wild rabbit and hare meat	2000/585/EC, L251/12	Annex III, Model C		_	Animal and Public Health Certificate for wild leporidae (rabbit and hare) meat intended for consignment to the European Community	
EU transit/storage of rabbit and game meat for human consumption		K, Transit/ Storage, Annex III			Veterinary Certificate for fresh rabbit mea and certain wild and farmed game meat for transit/storage in the European Community	
Wild game bird meat	2000/585/EC, L251/15	Annex III, Model D		_	Animal and Public Health Certificate for wild game bird meat intended for consignment to the European Community	y
Meat of farmed game birds	2000/585/EC, L251/32	Annex III, Model I		_	Animal and Public Health Certificate for the meat of farmed game birds, intended for consignment to the European Community	
SEMEN, OVA, EMBRYOS						
Bovine (semen)	2004/639/EC L292	Annex II Part I	APHIS			This certificate applies from 1 January 2005 This certificate applies
Bovine (semen)	2004/639/EC L292	Annex II Part II	APHIS			from 1 January 2005 for semen stored before 31 December 2004 EU certificate to be
Bovine (embryos)	2004/786/EC L346	<u>bov em</u> (Annex A)	APHIS	<u>bo_em</u>	Health Certificate for the Exportation of Bovine Embryos to the European Community	amended soon. Some MS already apply future certificate posted on APHIS website
Horses (semen)	96/539/EC, L230	<u>eq se</u>	APHIS	<u>eq_se</u>	Animal Health Certificate for the importation of semen of equidae	

Horses (embryos)	96/540/EC, L230/29	_	APHIS	<u>eq_em</u>		
Porcine (semen)	2002/613/EC, L196	por se	APHIS	po_se	Health Certificate for imports of semen of domestic animals of the porcine species from third countries in accordance with Directive 90/429/EEC	
MEAT PRODUCTS/ PREPARATIONS						
Meat Products (from red meat)			FSIS	9060-5	Export Certificate of Wholesomeness	
	97/221/EC, L89/35		FSIS	a. 9180-11	Products Intended for Consignment to the	English version (choose either 9180-11 or 9180- 12).
				b. 9180-12	Animal Health Certificate for Meat Products Intended for Consignment to the European Community	English/German version.
	72/462/EC, L302	<u>Annex C</u>	FSIS	9180-13	Public Health Certificate for Meat Products Intended for Export to the European Community	
Meat Products (from poultry meat and game meat)			FSIS	9060-5	Export Certificate of Wholesomeness	

	97/41/EC, L17/36		FSIS	9180-9	Public Health Certificate for Meat Products Obtained from Poultry Meat, Farmed Game Meat, Wild Game Meat and Rabbit Meat	
	97/221/EC, L89/35		FSIS	a. 9180-11	Animal Health Certificate for Meat Products Intended for Consignment to the European Community	English version (choose either 9180-12).
				b. 9180-12	Animal Health Certificate for Meat Products Intended for Consignment to the European Community	English/German version.
EU transit/storage of meat products for human consumption	2004/427/EC, L154/3	<u>Transit/</u> <u>Storage</u>		_	Veterinary Certificate for meat product, for transit and/or storage in the European Community	This certificate applies from 1 January 2005.
			FSIS	9060-5	Export Certificate of Wholesomeness	
				9180-10	Public Health Certificate for Meat Preparations	
Meat preparations (red meat preparations)	2000/572/EC, L240/23	Annex II	FSIS	9180-1	Animal Health Certificate	
EU transit/storage of meat preparations for human consumption	2004/437/EC, L154/67	Transit/ Storage		_	Veterinary Certificate for meat preparations, for transit and/or storage in the European Community	This certificate applies from 1 January 2005.
PETFOOD/ DOGCHEWS						

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Canned petfood	668/2004, L112/21 (amending 1774/2002)	Chapter 3	APHIS	cpf1	Health Certificate for canned petfood intended for dispatch to the European Community	
	668/2004,				,	
Processed petfood					Health Certificate for processed petfood	
other than canned		Chapter 3			other than canned petfood, intended for	
petfood	1774/2002)	<u>(B)</u>	APHIS	pfotc	dispatch to the European Community	
	668/2004,					
	L112/25 (amending	Chapter 3			Health Certificate for dogchews intended	
Dogchews	1774/2002)		APHIS	dc1	for dispatch to the European Community	
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Raw petfood for	668/2004,					
direct sale or	L112/27				Health Certificate for raw-petfood for	
animal by-products	L112/23				direct sale or animal by-products to be fed	
to be fed to farmed	(amending	Chapter 3			to farmed fur animals, intended for	
fur animals	1774/2002	(D)		_	dispatch to the European Community	
Downstonial for			APHIS	<u>rmat</u>	Health Certificate for animal by-products for the manufacture of petfood, intended for dispatch to the European Community	
Raw material for pet food manufacture	668/2004, L112/54	Chapter 8 (A)	FSIS	a. 9060-5 b. 9060-9	Export Certificate of Wholesomeness	Choose either a or b.
			1313	<u>9180-15</u>	Health Certificate for Animal By-Products for Manufacture of Pet Food, Intended for Dispatch to the European Community	See the quideline for help completing this form.
Flavoring innards for use in the manufacture of petfood (digests)	668/2004, L112/30	Chapter 3 (E)	APHIS	<u>dpff</u>	Health Certificate for flavoring innards for use in the manufacture of petfood, intended for dispatch to the European Community	
GELATINE/ COLLAGEN						

Gelatine	2003/863/EC, L325/48	Annex A	FDA	_		2003/863/EC is for <i>raw</i> gelatine only.
	2003/863/EC, L325/50	<u>dec</u>	_	_	•	
Collagen	2003/863/EC, L325/53	Annex B	FDA	_	Health Certificate for collagen derived from bovine hides and/or pigskins, intended for human consumption, intended for dispatch from the United States of America to the European Community	
	2003/863/EC, L325/56	dec		_	Declaration to the United States Food and Drug Administration for collagen derived from bovine hides and/or pigskins, intended for human consumption, intended for dispatch from the United States of America to the European Community	
Photographic gelatine being sent to Kodak in France or the UK		Annex III	APHIS	pg	Health Certificate for technical gelatine not intended for human consumption to be used by the photographic industry, intended for dispatch to the European Community	derogation from 1774/2002
Gelatine and collagen not intended for human consumption to be used as feed material or for technical purposes	668/2004,	<u>Chapter</u> 11	APHIS	<u>gc</u>	Health C ertificate for gelatine and collagen not intended for human consumption to be used as feed material or for technical purposes, intended for dispatch to the European Community	amends 1774/2002

MILK AND MILK PRODUCTS						
Raw material destined for the production of collagen	2003/721/EC, L260/26	<u>IX</u>	_	_	Commercial Document model for raw material destined for the production of collagen intended for human consumption	Amends 92/118/EC.
Raw material for the production of collagen	2003/721/EC, L260/30	<u>X(b)</u>	APHIS	_	Health Certificate model for raw material intended for dispatch to the European Community for human consumption	Amends 92/118/EC.
Raw material in the production of gelatine intended for human consumption	1999/724/EC, L290/39	<u>VIII</u>	-	<u>01</u>	Commercial Document for raw material destined to the production of gelatine for human consumption	-
Raw materials destined to the production of gelatine intended for human consumption	2000/20/EC, L6/63	<u>Annex II</u>	APHIS	<u>o2</u>	Health Certificate for raw materials destined to the production of gelatine intended for human consumption, intended for dispatch to the European Community	

Raw milk for human consumption	2004/438/EC, L154	Milk-RM		Health Certificate for raw milk from third countries or parts of third countries authorized in Column A of Annex I to Commission Decision 2004/438/EC intended to be accepted at a collection center, standardization center, treatment establishment or processing establishment in the European Community and then to be used for human consumption	
Heat-treated milk, milk-based products made from heat-treated milk or heat- treated milk-based products intended for human consumption	2004/438/EC, L154	Milk-HTB	AMS	 Health Certificate for heat-treated milk, milk-based products made from heat-treated milk or heat-treated milk-based products for human consumption from third countries or parts of third countries authorized in Column B of Annex I of Commission Decision 2004/438/EC intended for consignment to the European Community	harmonized product and import rules differ from

Raw milk products for human consumption	2004/438/EC, L154	Milk-RMP			Health Certificate for raw milk products for human consumption from third countries or parts of third countries authorized in Column A of Annex I to Commission Decision 2004/438/EC intended for consignment to the European Community	
Milk and milk products for human consumption				<u>conf</u>		Should be provided on company letterhead.
	2004/438/EC, L154	<u>Milk-T/S</u>	AMS	<u>Milk</u>		This certificate applies from 1 January 2005.
_	668/2004, L112/15	<u>Chapter 2</u> (A)	APHIS	<u>mmpsh</u>	Health Certificate for milk and milk-based products, which have undergone a single heat treatment and are not intended for human consumption for dispatch to the European Community	
Milk and milk- based products not for human consumption (heat treated and pH6)	668/2004,	<u>Chapter 2</u> (B)	APHIS	<u>mmphth</u>	Health Certificate for heat-treated milk- based products with a pH reduced to less than 6 not intended for human consumption and for dispatch to the European Community	Amends 1774/2002
	668/2004, L112/19	<u>Chapter 2</u> (C)	APHIS	<u>mmps</u>	Health Certificate for milk and milk-based products, which have undergone a sterilization or a double heat treatment and are not intended for human consumption, for dispatch to the European Community	

HIDES/ SKINS/ TROPHIES						
Fresh or chilled hides and skins of ungulates	668/2004, L112/40	Chapter 5 (A)	APHIS	<u>fchs</u>	Health Certificate for fresh or chilled hides and skins of ungulates, intended for dispatch to the European Community	Amends 1774/2002
Treated hides and skins of ungulates		Chapter 5 (B)	APHIS	<u>ths</u>	Health Certificate for treated hides and skins of ungulates, intended for dispatch to the European Community	Amends 1774/2002
Treated hides and skins of ruminants (kept separate for 21 days)		Chapter 5 (C)	APHIS	<u>hs21</u>	Health Certificate for treated hides and skins of ruminants that are intended for dispatch to the European Community and have been kept separate for 21 days or will undergo transport for 21 uninterrupted days before importation	Amends 1774/2002
Treated game trophies of birds and ungulates (solely bones, horns, hooves, claws, antlers, teeth, hides or skins)	668/2004, L112/46	Chapter 6 (A)	APHIS	<u>gt1</u>	Health Certificate for treated game trophies of birds and ungulates, being solely bones, horns, hooves, claws, antlers, teeth, hides or skins, for dispatch to the European Community	Amends 1774/2002
	668/2004, L112/48	Chapter 6 (B)	APHIS	gtep	Health Certificate for game trophies of birds and ungulates consisting of entire parts not having been treated, intended for dispatch to the European Community	
EGGS AND EGG PRODUCTS		-		-		
Egg products for human consumption	97/38/EC, L14/63		FSIS	PY-200; 9190-1		Note: Denmark has been asking additional animal health guarantees on salmonella. It is

					uncertain whether they will continue to do so.
Cholesterol free egg substitute for human consumption (egg white plus additives)			FSIS		FDA is the competent authority. However, the FSIS Voluntary Egg Products Inspection Service enables certification of the product by FSIS on a fee Public Health Certificate for egg products
Egg products not intended for human consumption that could be used as feed material	668/2004, L112/80	<u>Chapter</u> 15	APHIS	<u>iep</u>	Health Certificate for egg products not intended for human consumption that could be used as feed material, intended corresponding certification for dispatch to the European Community in 780/2004 instead.
Inedible egg products for animal feeding	780/2004, L123/83	G	APHIS	epc1	This certificate should represent the alth Certificate for egg products not intended for human consumption that could be used as feed material, intended May 2004 to 31 Octob for dispatch to the European Community 2005.
Hatching eggs (non-ratite)	96/482/EC, L196	Model B	APHIS	<u>ch_ht</u>	Animal Health Certificate for hatching eggs from poultry other than ratites intended for consignment to the European Community
Hatching eggs (from ratites)	2001/751/EC, L281/35	Annex II, Model C		-	Animal Health Certificate for hatching eggs from ratites originating from countries free from avian influenza and Newcastle disease intended for consignment to the European Community
SPF-eggs	2002/278/EC, L99/15	<u>Model</u>	APHIS	ch ht spf	Animal Health Certificate for specified pathogen free (SPF) eggs intended for consignment to the European Community Amends 2001/393

OTHER ANIMAL ORIGIN PRODUCTS						
Animal casings				One of the following:		
			FSIS	a. 9060-7	Animal Casings Export Certificate for Countries Requiring Ante-Mortem, Post- Mortem, and Fit for Human Food Statements	For animal casings derived from animals slaughtered in the U.S.
				b. 9060-17	Animal Casings Export Certificate for Countries Requiring Ante-Mortem, Post- Mortem, and Fit for Human Food Statements	For animal casings derived from animals slaughtered in the U.S. and processed in Mexico.
				c. 9060-18	Animal Casings Export Certificate for Countries Requiring Ante-Mortem, Post- Mortem, and Sound and Clean Statements	imported into the U.S.
						In the Remarks section on the health certificate, or on an FSIS letterhead certificate, type: "The
						casings have been produced in accordance with the conditions laid down in Annex C, Chapter III of Directive 77/99/EEC."
						/// 77/ELG.
	2004/414/EC L208/56	<u>Annex IA</u>	FSIS	9180-23	Animal Health Certificate for animal casings intended for dispatch to the European Community	Check FSIS Export Library for Additional Info

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EU transit/storage	2004/414/FC				Veterinary Certificate for animal casings in	Check FSIS Export
	L208/56	Annex I B	FSIS			Library for Additional Info
or arminar casings	L200/30	ZIIIIOX I B	1010		transit and/or storage	Elbrary for Additional Time
					Animal Health Certificate for the	
					mportation of fish products of	
					aquaculture origin into the European	
	2003/858/EC,		APHIS/		Community for further processing before	
Fish products	L324/50	Annex IV	NOAA	1	numan consumption	
					Animal Health Certificate for the	
					mportation of fish products of	
	0000/050/50		4511107		aquaculture origin into the European	
	2003/858/EC,		APHIS/		Community for immediate human	
	L324/52	Annex V	NOAA	(consumption	
Fishery and					Health Certificate for fishery and	
'	2001/67/EC,		FDA/		aquaculture products intended for export	Amends 95/328/EC
products	L22/42	<u>Annex</u>	NOAA	1	to the European Community	Valid until 31/12/2005.
Fish oil not						
intended for						
human					Health Certificate for fish oil not intended	
consumption to be					for human consumption to be used as	
used as feed					feed material or for technical purposes,	
	780/2004,		NIO A A			Applies 1 May 2004 to 31
technical purposes	L123/72	<u>U</u>	NOAA	-		October 2005.
						This certificate should
Processed animal						also be used for fishmeal. 668/2004 amends the
protein not						annexes to 1774/2002.
intended for						From 1 May 2004 to 31
	668/2004,				such protein, intended for dispatch to the	
	L112/12	Chapter 1				corresponding certificate
Consumption	L112/12	<u>Chapter i</u>			European Community	corresponding certificate

						from 780/2004 instead.
	780/2004, L123/67	<u>A</u>	APHIS	<u>pafp1</u>	Health Certificate for processed animal protein not intended for human consumption, including mixtures and products other than petfood containing such protein, intended for dispatch to th European Community	Applies 1 May 2004 to 31 October 2005.
	668/2004, L112/33	Chapter 4 (A)	APHIS	estp1	Health Certificate for the import of serun from equidae to be used for technical purposes including pharmaceuticals, in vitro diagnosis and laboratory reagents intended for dispatch to the European Community	
	668/2004, L112/35	Chapter 4 (B)			Health Certificate for blood products not intended for human consumption that could be used as feed material, intendent for dispatch to the European Community	October 2005, use the corresponding certificate
	780/2004, L123/70	<u>B</u>	APHIS	bpc1	Health Certificate for blood products not intended for human consumption that could be used as feed material, intendefor dispatch to the European Community	Applies 1 May 2004 to 31
Blood products to be used for technical purposes	668/2004, L112/37	Chapter 4 (C)	APHIS	<u>bpftp</u>	Health Certificate for blood products to bused for technical purposes, including pharmaceuticals, in vitro diagnosis and laboratory reagents, but excluding serun of equidae, intended for dispatch to the European Community	

Pig bristles from third countries or regions thereof that are free from African swine fever		Chapter 7 (A)	APHIS	<u>pb1</u>	Health Certificate for pig bristles from third countries or regions thereof that are free from African swine fever, intended fo dispatch to the European Community	
Animal by-products (raw materials) for the manufacture of technical products (including pharmaceutical products)		Chapter 8 (B)	APHIS	<u>rmtp</u>	Health Certificate for animal by-products for the manufacture of technical product (including pharmaceutical products), intended for dispatch to the European Community	
Raw material for pharmaceutical processing			FSIS	a. 9060-5 b. 9060-9	Export Certificate of Wholesomeness	Choose either a or b.
	668/2004, L112/58	Chapter 8 (B)	FSIS		Health Certificate for Animal By-Products for the Manufacture of Technical Product (including pharmaceutical products), Intended for Dispatch to the European Community	
Rendered fats not intended for human consumption to be used as feed material or for technical purposes	668/2004,	<u>Chapter</u> 10 (A)			Health Certificate for rendered fats not intended for human consumption to be used as feed material or for technical purposes, intended for dispatch to the European Community	668/2004 amends the annexes to 1774/2002. From 1 May 2004 to 31 October 2005, use the corresponding certificate from 780/2004 instead.
	780/2004, L123/74		APHIS	<u>rfaf1</u>	Health Certificate for rendered fats not intended for human consumption to be used as feed material or for technical purposes, intended for dispatch to the European Community	Applies 1 May 2004 to 31 October 2005.

Rendered fats not intended for human consumption to be used for technical purposes		<u>Chapter</u> 10 (B)		-	Health Certificate for rendered fats not intended for human consumption to be used for <i>technical purposes</i> , intended for dispatch to the European Community	668/2004 amends the annexes to 1774/2002. From 1 May 2004 to 31 October 2005, use the corresponding certificate from 780/2004 instead.
	780/2004, L123/77	<u>E</u>		-	Health Certificate for rendered fats not intended for human consumption to be used for <i>technical purposes</i> , intended for dispatch to the European Community	Applies 1 May 2004 to 31 October 2005.
	668/2004, L112/74	<u>Chapter</u> 13		_	Health Certificate for apiculture products intended for dispatch to the European Community	
Fat derivatives not intended for human consumption to be used for technical purposes		Chapter 14 (A)	APHIS	<u>fdtp</u>	Health Certificate for fat derivatives not intended for human consumption to be used for technical purposes, intended for dispatch to the European Community	
Fat derivatives not intended for human consumption to be used as feed or for technical purposes	668/2004,	Chapter 14 (B)	APHIS	fdft1	Health Certificate for fat derivatives not intended for human consumption to be used as feed or for technical purposes, intended for dispatch to the European Community	
Bones and bone products, horns and horn products and hooves and hoof products intended for use other than as feed material, organic fertilizers or soil		Chapter 16			Declaration by the importer of bones and bone products (excluding bone meal), horns and horn products (excluding horn meal) and hooves and hoof products (excluding hoof meal) intended for use other than as feed material, organic fertilizers or soil improvers for dispatch to the European Communities	

Hydrolyzed protein, dicalcium phosphate and tricalcium phosphate not intended for human consumption to be used as feed material or for technical purposes	668/2004,	<u>Chapter</u> 12	APHIS		phosphate not intended for human consumption to be used as feed material or for technical purposes, intended for	annexes to 1774/2002. From 1 May 2004 to 31
	780/2004, L123/80 1789/2003.	<u>E</u>	APHIS	<u>hpdptp2</u>	dispatch to the European Community	Applies 1 May 2004 to 31 October 2005. For tariff calculation
	L281/890	Annex 9		_	1	purposes
	2000/571/EC, L240/17				Veterinary Certificate to accompany consignments of products from a warehouse approved under Article 12(4)(b) or an operator authorized under Article 13(1) of Directive 97/78/EC directly to a vessel or via a specially approved warehouse (referred to in Article 13(2)(a) of Directive 97/78/EC for provisioning in accordance with Commission Decision 2000/571/EC	
PEDIGREE AND ZOOTECHNICAL CERTIFICATES						

			Pedigree and zootechnical certificate for
			the importation of semen from pure-bred
	96/509/EC		breeding animals of the bovine species,
	L210/49		pure-bred breeding pigs, pure-bred
	L2 10/4/		breeding sheep and goats which have not
			undergone performance test and genetic
Semen		<u>Annex I</u>	value assessment
			Certificate for the limited importation of
			untested semen from pure-bred breeding
	96/509/EC		animals of the bovine species, pure-bred
	L210/51		and breeding pigs, pure-bred breeding
			sheep and goats to be used for genetic
		<u>Annex II</u>	evaluation
			Pedigree and zootechnical certificate for
			the importation of pure-bred breeding
	96/510/EC		animals of the bovine species, pure-bred
Live Animals	L210/55	Annex I	breeding pigs, sheep and goats
	96/510/EC		Certificate for the Importation of Hybrid
	L210/57	<u>Annex II</u>	Breeding Pigs
	96/510/EC		
	L210/59	Annex III	Certificate on Pregnancy
			Pedigree and zootechnical certificate for
			the importation of semen of pure-bred
			breeding animals of the bovine species,
			breeding animals of the porcine species,
	2004/186/EC		pure-bred breeding sheep and goats and Amends 96/510/EC to
	L57/28	<u>Annex IV</u>	of registered equidae include horses
			Pedigree and zootechnical certificate for
			the importation of ova of pure-bred
			breeding animals of the bovine species,
			breeding animals of the porcine species,
	2004/186/EC		pure-bred breeding sheep and goats and Amends 96/510/EC to
	L57/30	<u>Annex V</u>	of registered equidae include horses

PLANTS AND PLANT PRODUCTS	2004/186/EC L57/32	<u>Annex VI</u>			Pedigree and zootechnical certificate for the importation of embryos of pure-bred breeding animals of the bovine species, breeding animals of the porcine species, pure-bred breeding sheep and goats and of registered equidae	Amends 96/510/EC to include horses
Plants and plant products (including seeds)	2000/29/EC, L169/95	Annex VII, A	APHIS	<u>PPQ Form 577</u>	Phytosanitary Certificate	
Plants and plant products for reexport	2000/29/EC, L169/99	Annex VII, B	APHIS	PPQ Form 579	Phytosanitary Certificate for Re-export (reforwarding)	
Processed plant products			APHIS	PPQ Form 578	Export Certificate	There is no specific reference to EU legislation. It is issued on a case-by-case basis.
Planting seeds	2003/17/EC, L8		AMS	_		See the conditions laid down in this legislation.
Wheat (other than Durum)			FGIS		Quality Certificate for high quality wheat	Without the certificate, a security must be paid until tests are done to show that the product meets EU standards.
			FOIG			Without the certificate, a security must be paid until tests are done to show that the product
Malting barley			FGIS FGIS	-	Quality Certificate Quality Certificate	meets EU standards. For tariff classification purposes. Automatic laboratory inspection for
Corn gluten feed	2019/94		CRA		Certificate of Conformity	compliance in absence of these certificates

Fresh fruits and vegetables	1148/2001, L156/15	<u>Annex I</u>	None	_	Certificate of conformity with the community marketing standards for fresh fruit and vegetables	No U.S. agency issues this certificate. Imports to the EU can be certified at the border.
	1148/2001, L156/17	Annex II	None	_	Certificate of industrial use referred to in Article 8(2) for fresh fruit and vegetables subject to community marketing standards	
Wine, grape juice or grape must	883/2001, L128/23	VI1 Form, Annex VII	None	_	Document for the importation of wine, grape juice or grape must into the European Community	This form is filled out by the winery, which must be on this list of approved establishments.
	883/2001, L128/27	VI2 form, Annex X	None	_	Extract of a document for the importation of wine, grape juice or grape must into the European Community	This form is filled out by the winery, which must be on this list of approved establishments.
Fresh 'Emperor' Table Grapes	1789/2003, L281/889	Annex 9	AMS	hard copy only	Certificate of Authenticity for Fresh 'Emperor' Table Grapes	For tariff calculation purposes.
Tobacco	1789/2003, L281/892	Annex 9	Tobacco Assoc. of U.S.	hard copy only	Certificate of Authenticity for Tobacco	For tariff calculation purposes.
OTHER						
Organics	1918/2002, L289/19	Annex I	None		Certificate of inspection for import of products from organic production into the European Community	No U.S. agency issues this certificate; private certifiers do. Also, certifiers must be specifically authorized in advanced by the individual Member States of the EU. No U.S. agency issues
	1918/2002, L289/23	Annex II	None		Extract No of the certificate of inspection for import of products from organic production into the European Community	this certificate; private certifiers do. Also, certifiers must be specifically authorized in advanced by the individual Member States

				of the EU.
Processed Foods	A	4MS	Certificate of Quality and Condition (Processed Foods)	No harmonized EU certificates. Member States may ask for certificates on animal origin ingredients. Some MS require the

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